IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Kirkland et al.** § Group Art Unit: **2629**

Serial No.: 10/752,405 § Examiner: Patel, Nitin

Filed: January 6, 2004 § Attorney Docket No.: AUS920030942US1

For: System and Method for Improved User Input on Personal Computing Devices

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

A fee of \$850.00 is required for four additional independent claims and one additional dependent claim. Please charge this fee to Lenovo Deposit Account No. 50-3533. No additional fees are believed to be necessary. If, however, any additional fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to Lenovo Deposit Account No. 50-3533. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to Lenovo Deposit Account No. 50-3533.

In response to the Office Action of October 31, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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